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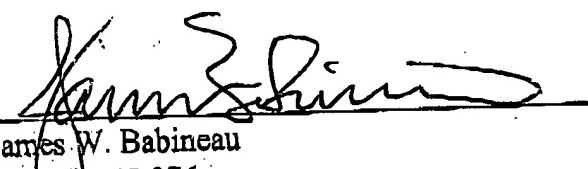
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**REQUEST FOR POSTPONEMENT**

Dear Sirs:

In response to the Notice of Hearing mailed May 8, 2008, in the above-referenced matter, Applicant requests a postponement of hearing, currently scheduled for Tuesday, June 17, 2008 at 9:00 a.m., at least until after July 1, 2008. Applicant's counsel will be traveling out of the country with his family and will be unavailable to participate on Applicant's behalf.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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